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SUBJECT: EXCHANGES: IREX PROGRAMS

REF: A) STATE 230899; B) MOSCOW 14800

1. REF A: IREX HAS ADVISED DEPARTMENT THAT SOVIET GSE CANDIDATE ZHURBENKO HAS BEEN PLACED AT UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA (BERKELEY) TO BEGIN SECOND SEMESTER. HIS PRINCIPAL ACADEMIC ADVISOR AT BERKELEY WILL BE DR. ERIC LEHMANN, DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS. IREX WILL FURNISH PLACEMENT DATA ON GSE'S PEGOV AND STAROVOITOV ASAP VIA IREX-EMBASSY TELEX LINK.

2. REF B: IREX CURRENTLY CONSIDERING EMIRBEKOV NOMINATION AND WILL ADVISE YOU VIA TELEX LINK WHEN DECISION REACHED.

3. EMBASSY REQUESTED PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM IREX TO US SENIOR SCHOLAR NORMAN SAUL IN MOSCOW: QUOTE IREX REGRETS BUDGETARY LIMITATIONS DO NOT PERMIT INCREASE IN SUPPORT FIGURE, WHICH MUST REMAIN KEYED TO SALARY. AGREEMENT PROVIDES THAT SOVIET MINISTRY PAY HOUSING COSTS FOR PARTICIPANTS IN STUDY-TRAVEL STATUS. IREX DOES THIS

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ROUTINELY FOR SOVIET SCHOLARS HERE. LETTER FOLLOWS.

REGARDS, MATUSZEWSKI END QUOTE.

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